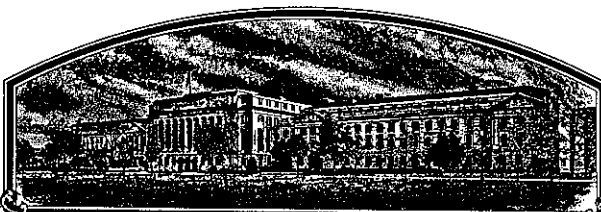


No.

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THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

TO ALL TO WHOM THESE PRESENTS SHALL COME:

Northrup King Co.

Whereas, THERE HAS BEEN PRESENTED TO THE
Secretary of Agriculture

AN APPLICATION REQUESTING A CERTIFICATE OF PROTECTION FOR AN ALLEGED NOVEL VARIETY OF SEXUALLY REPRODUCED PLANT, THE NAME AND DESCRIPTION OF WHICH ARE CONTAINED IN THE APPLICATION AND EXHIBITS, A COPY OF WHICH IS HEREUNTO ANNEXED AND MADE A PART HEREOF, AND THE VARIOUS REQUIREMENTS OF LAW IN SUCH CASES MADE AND PROVIDED HAVE BEEN COMPLIED WITH, AND THE TITLE THERETO IS, FROM THE RECORDS OF THE PLANT VARIETY PROTECTION OFFICE, IN THE APPLICANT(S) INDICATED IN THE SAID COPY, AND WHEREAS, UPON DUE EXAMINATION MADE, THE SAID APPLICANT(S) IS (ARE) ADJUDGED TO BE ENTITLED TO A CERTIFICATE OF PLANT VARIETY PROTECTION UNDER THE LAW.

NOW, THEREFORE, THIS CERTIFICATE OF PLANT VARIETY PROTECTION IS TO GRANT UNTO THE SAID APPLICANT(S) AND THE SUCCESSORS, HEIRS OR ASSIGNS OF THE SAID APPLICANT(S) FOR THE TERM OF *eighteen* YEARS FROM THE DATE OF THIS GRANT, SUBJECT TO THE PAYMENT OF THE REQUIRED FEES AND PERIODIC REPLENISHMENT OF VIABLE BASIC SEED OF THE VARIETY IN A PUBLIC REPOSITORY AS PROVIDED BY LAW, THE RIGHT TO EXCLUDE OTHERS FROM SELLING THE VARIETY, OR OFFERING IT FOR SALE, OR REPRODUCING IT, OR IMPORTING IT, OR EXPORTING IT, OR USING IT IN PRODUCING A HYBRID OR DIFFERENT VARIETY THEREFROM, TO THE EXTENT PROVIDED BY THE PLANT VARIETY PROTECTION ACT (T. 1542, AS AMENDED, 7 U.S.C. 2321 ET SEQ.)

SOYBEAN

'S06-57'



Attest:

Kenneth H. Evans
Commissioner
Plant Variety Protection Office
Agricultural Marketing Service

In Testimony Whereof, I have hereunto set
my hand and caused the seal of the Plant
Variety Protection Office to be affixed
at the City of Washington, D. C.
this 18th day of December in
the year of our Lord one thousand nine
hundred and eighty-seven.

Richard E. Lyng
Secretary of Agriculture

U.S. DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE
AGRICULTURAL MARKETING SERVICE

FORM APPROVED: OMB NO. 0581-0055

Application is required in order to determine if a plant variety protection certificate is to be issued (7 U.S.C. 2421). Information is held confidential until certificate is issued (7 U.S.C. 2426).

APPLICATION FOR PLANT VARIETY PROTECTION CERTIFICATE

(Instructions on reverse)

1. NAME OF APPLICANT(S) Northrup King Co.		2. TEMPORARY DESIGNATION W106722	3. VARIETY NAME S06-57
4. ADDRESS (Street and No. or R.F.D. No., City, State, and Zip Code) P. O. Box 959 Minneapolis, MN 55440		5. PHONE (Include area code) 612-593-7333	FOR OFFICIAL USE ONLY VPPO NUMBER 8700111
6. GENUS AND SPECIES NAME Glycine max	7. FAMILY NAME (Botanical) Leguminosae		FILING DATE April 2, 1987 TIME 9:30 <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> A.M. <input type="checkbox"/> P.M.
8. KIND NAME Soybean	9. DATE OF DETERMINATION March, 1986		FEES RECEIVED AMOUNT FOR FILING \$ 1800 ⁰⁰ DATE April 2, 1987 AMOUNT FOR CERTIFICATE \$ 200 ⁰⁰ DATE November 2, 1987
10. IF THE APPLICANT NAMED IS NOT A "PERSON," GIVE FORM OF ORGANIZATION (Corporation, partnership, association, etc.) Corporation			
11. IF INCORPORATED, GIVE STATE OF INCORPORATION Delaware			12. DATE OF INCORPORATION 1986

13. NAME AND ADDRESS OF APPLICANT REPRESENTATIVE(S), IF ANY, TO SERVE IN THIS APPLICATION AND RECEIVE ALL PAPERS
Robert W. Romig
Northrup King Co.
P. O. Box 959
Minneapolis, MN 55440

PHONE (Include area code): 612-593-7305

14. CHECK APPROPRIATE BOX FOR EACH ATTACHMENT SUBMITTED

- a. ☒ Exhibit A, Origin and Breeding History of the Variety (See Section 52 of the Plant Variety Protection Act.)
b. ☒ Exhibit B, Novelty Statement.
c. ☒ Exhibit C, Objective Description of Variety (Request form from Plant Variety Protection Office.)
d. ☒ Exhibit D, Additional Description of Variety.
e. ☒ Exhibit E, Statement of the Basis of Applicant's Ownership.

15. DOES THE APPLICANT(S) SPECIFY THAT SEED OF THIS VARIETY BE SOLD BY VARIETY NAME ONLY AS A CLASS OF CERTIFIED SEED? (See Section 83(a) of the Plant Variety Protection Act.) ☐ Yes (If "Yes," answer items 16 and 17 below) ☒ No

16. DOES THE APPLICANT(S) SPECIFY THAT THIS VARIETY BE LIMITED AS TO NUMBER OF GENERATIONS?
☐ Yes ☒ No

17. IF "YES" TO ITEM 16, WHICH CLASSES OF PRODUCTION BEYOND BREEDER SEED?
☐ Foundation ☐ Registered ☐ Certified

18. DID THE APPLICANT(S) PREVIOUSLY FILE FOR PROTECTION OF THE VARIETY IN THE U.S.?

☐ Yes (If "Yes," give date)

☒ No

19. HAS THE VARIETY BEEN RELEASED, OFFERED FOR SALE, OR MARKETED IN THE U.S. OR OTHER COUNTRIES?

☐ Yes (If "Yes," give names of countries and dates)

☒ No

20. The applicant(s) declare(s) that a viable sample of basic seeds of this variety will be furnished with the application and will be replenished upon request in accordance with such regulations as may be applicable.

The undersigned applicant(s) is (are) the owner(s) of this sexually reproduced novel plant variety, and believe(s) that the variety is distinct, uniform, and stable as required in Section 41, and is entitled to protection under the provisions of Section 42 of the Plant Variety Protection Act.

Applicant(s) is (are) informed that false representation herein can jeopardize protection and result in penalties.

SIGNATURE OF APPLICANT

DATE

MARCH 30, 1987

SIGNATURE OF APPLICANT

DATE

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EXHIBIT A

Origin and Breeding History of the Variety

1978-80. The Northrup King soybean research group at Washington, Iowa made a cross between 'McCall' and a population derived from six backcrosses of 'S1474' to a *Phytophthora* resistant (Rps 1-C) source. We advanced the population to F_6 using single seed descent. In September, 1980 we harvested 100 early plants and threshed them individually.

1981. We grew each of the 100 plant selections in an F_7 progeny row. We selected one of the lines numbered W106722, on the basis of early maturity and agronomic appearance to be tested in a preliminary yield trial. This line was subsequently named S06-57.

1982-84. We tested S06-57 in replicated yield trials at several mid-western and Canadian locations and found it to yield well in comparison to other Group 0 varieties. We identified and confirmed the descriptive characteristics purple flowers, grey pubescence, brown pods, yellow hila, and dull seed coat luster. We tested S06-57 for resistance to Races 1, 2, 3, 4, and 7 of *Phytophthora megasperma* by inoculating detached cotyledons. We found it to be resistant to Races 1, 2, 3, and 7 and susceptible to Race 4, the expected pattern for the Rps 1-C gene. We tested S06-57 for resistance to iron-deficiency chlorosis on calcareous soil in northwest Iowa and found it to be moderately resistant.

In 1984 we initiated seed increase from 500 grams of carefully hand-rogued seed. We removed all plants not conforming to the variety description by roguing the increase block several times. Growth and maturity were uniform.

1985-86. We continued to test S06-57 in advanced yield trials to confirm descriptive characteristics and performance.

We grew Breeder Seed of S06-57 in Hawaii in the winter of 1984-85 from the increase made in 1984. This seed was further increased in 1985. The field was rogued several times. We produced Foundation Seed in 1986. The Iowa Crop Improvement Association and the Minnesota Crop Improvement Association inspected production fields and found them to meet the Requirements for Foundation Seed. S06-57 was approved by the National Soybean Variety Review Board on December 11, 1986.

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S06-57 is a stable and uniform soybean variety except for seed coat peroxidase activity. Both high and low types are present. We have observed no other variants in five years of testing and three years of seed increase other than minor, environmentally induced variation normally encountered in a soybean variety.

We will maintain varietal purity by use of progeny rows as needed.

EXHIBIT B

Novelty Statement for the Variety

Soybean variety S06-57 is most similar to Evans and Ozzie. It can be differentiated from Evans by flower color. S06-57 has purple flowers while Evans has white flowers. S06-57 can be differentiated from Ozzie based on reaction to Race 3 of Phytophthora megasperma. S06-57 is resistant, Ozzie is susceptible.

U.S. DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE
AGRICULTURAL MARKETING SERVICE
LIVESTOCK, MEAT, GRAIN & SEED DIVISION
PLANT VARIETY PROTECTION OFFICE
BELTSVILLE, MARYLAND 20705

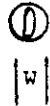
EXHIBIT C
(Soybean)

OBJECTIVE DESCRIPTION OF VARIETY
SOYBEAN (*Glycine max* L.)

NAME OF APPLICANT(S) Northrup King Co.	TEMPORARY DESIGNATION W106722	VARIETY NAME S06-57
ADDRESS (Street and No., or R.F.D. No., City, State, and Zip Code) P. O. Box 959 Minneapolis, MN 55440 Attention: Robert W. Romig		FOR OFFICIAL USE ONLY PVPO NUMBER 8700111

Choose the appropriate response which characterizes the variety in the features described below. When the number of significant digits in your answer is fewer than the number of boxes provided, place a zero in the first box when number is 9 or less (e.g.,).

1. SEED SHAPE:



1 = Spherical (L/W, L/T, and T/W ratios = ≤ 1.2)
3 = Elongate (L/T ratio > 1.2 ; T/W = ≤ 1.2)

2 = Spherical Flattened (L/W ratio > 1.2 ; L/T ratio = ≤ 1.2)
4 = Elongate Flattened (L/T ratio > 1.2 ; T/W > 1.2)

2. SEED COAT COLOR: (Mature Seed)

1 = Yellow

2 = Green

3 = Brown

4 = Black

5 = Other (Specify) _____

3. SEED COAT LUSTER: (Mature Hand Shelled Seed)

1 = Dull ('Corsoy 79'; 'Braxton')

2 = Shiny ('Nebsoy'; 'Gasoy 17')

4. SEED SIZE: (Mature Seed)

Grams per 100 seeds

5. HILUM COLOR: (Mature Seed)

1 = Buff

2 = Yellow

3 = Brown

4 = Gray

5 = Imperfect Black

6 = Black

7 = Other (Specify) _____

6. COTYLEDON COLOR: (Mature Seed)

1 = Yellow

2 = Green

7. SEED PROTEIN PEROXIDASE ACTIVITY:

1 = Low

2 = High

Both high and low types are present.

8. SEED PROTEIN ELECTROPHORETIC BAND:

1 = Type A (SP1^a)2 = Type B (SP1^b)

9. HYPOCOTYL COLOR:

1 = Green only ('Evans'; 'Davis')

2 = Green with bronze band below cotyledons ('Woodworth'; 'Tracy')

3 = Light Purple below cotyledons ('Beeson'; 'Pickett 71')

4 = Dark Purple extending to unifoliate leaves ('Hodgson'; 'Coker Hampton 266A')

10. LEAFLET SHAPE:

1 = Lanceolate

2 = Oval

3 = Ovate

4 = Other (Specify) _____

11. LEAFLET SIZE:

☐ 11 = Small ('Amsoy 71'; 'A5312')
3 = Large ('Crawford'; 'Tracy')

2 = Medium ('Corsoy 79'; 'Gasoy 17')

12. LEAF COLOR:

☐ 21 = Light Green ('Weber'; 'York')
3 = Dark Green ('Gnome'; 'Tracy')

2 = Medium Green ('Corsoy 79'; 'Braxton')

13. FLOWER COLOR:

☐ 2

1 = White

2 = Purple

3 = White with purple throat

14. POD COLOR:

☐ 2

1 = Tan

2 = Brown

3 = Black

15. PLANT PUBESCENCE COLOR:

☐ 1

1 = Gray

2 = Brown (Tawny)

16. PLANT TYPES:

☐ 21 = Slender ('Essex'; 'Amsoy 71')
3 = Bushy ('Gnome'; 'Govan')

2 = Intermediate ('Amcor'; 'Braxton')

17. PLANT HABIT:

☐ 31 = Determinate ('Gnome'; 'Braxton')
3 = Indeterminate ('Nebsoy'; 'Improved Pelican')

2 = Semi-Determinate ('Will')

18. MATURITY GROUP:

☐ 3

1 = 000

2 = 00

3 = 0

4 = I

5 = II

6 = III

7 = IV

8 = V

9 = VI

10 = VII

11 = VIII

12 = IX

13 = X

19. DISEASE REACTION: (Enter 0 = Not Tested; 1 = Susceptible; 2 = Resistant)

BACTERIAL DISEASES:

☐Bacterial Pustule (*Xanthomonas phaseoli* var. *sojensis*)☐Bacterial Blight (*Pseudomonas glycinea*)☐Wildfire (*Pseudomonas tabaci*)

FUNGAL DISEASES:

☐ 1Brown Spot (*Septoria glycines*)Frogeye Leaf Spot (*Cercospora sojina*)☐

Race 1

☐

Race 2

☐

Race 3

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Race 4

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Race 5

☐

Other (Specify)

☐Target Spot (*Corynespora cassiicola*)☐Downy Mildew (*Peronospora trifoliorum* var. *manshurica*)☐ 1Powdery Mildew (*Microsphaera diffusa*)☐ 1Brown Stem Rot (*Cephalosporium gregatum*)☐Stem Canker (*Diaporthe phaseolorum* var. *caulivora*)

19. DISEASE REACTION: (Enter 0 = Not Tested; 1 = Susceptible; 2 = Resistant) (Continued)

FUNGAL DISEASES: (Continued)

<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> 1	Pod and Stem Blight (<i>Diaporthe phaseolorum</i> var; <i>sojae</i>)												
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> 1	Purple Seed Stain (<i>Cercospora kikuchii</i>)												
<input type="checkbox"/>	Rhizoctonia Root Rot (<i>Rhizoctonia solani</i>)												
	Phytophthora Rot (<i>Phytophthora megasperma</i> var. <i>sojae</i>)												
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> 2	Race 1	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> 2	Race 2	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> 2	Race 3	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> 1	Race 4	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> 1	Race 5	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> 2	Race 6	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> 2	Race 7
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> 2	Race 8	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> 2	Race 9	<input type="checkbox"/>	Other (Specify) _____								

VIRAL DISEASES:

<input type="checkbox"/>	Bud Blight (Tobacco Ringspot Virus)
<input type="checkbox"/>	Yellow Mosaic (Bean Yellow Mosaic Virus)
<input type="checkbox"/>	Cowpea Mosaic (Cowpea Chlorotic Virus)
<input type="checkbox"/>	Pod Mottle (Bean Pod Mottle Virus)
<input type="checkbox"/>	Seed Mottle (Soybean Mosaic Virus)

NEMATODE DISEASES:

	Soybean Cyst Nematode (<i>Heterodera glycines</i>)								
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> 1	Race 1	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> 1	Race 2	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> 1	Race 3	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> 1	Race 4	<input type="checkbox"/>	Other (Specify) _____
<input type="checkbox"/>	Lance Nematode (<i>Hoplolaimus Colombus</i>)								
<input type="checkbox"/>	Southern Root Knot Nematode (<i>Meloidogyne incognita</i>)								
<input type="checkbox"/>	Northern Root Knot Nematode (<i>Meloidogyne Hapla</i>)								
<input type="checkbox"/>	Peanut Root Knot Nematode (<i>Meloidogyne arenaria</i>)								
<input type="checkbox"/>	Reniform Nematode (<i>Rotylenchulus reniformis</i>)								
<input type="checkbox"/>	OTHER DISEASE NOT ON FORM (Specify): _____								

20. PHYSIOLOGICAL RESPONSES: (Enter 0 = Not Tested; 1 = Susceptible; 2 = Resistant)

<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> 2	Iron Chlorosis on Calcareous Soil
<input type="checkbox"/>	Other (Specify) _____

21. INSECT REACTION: (Enter 0 = Not Tested; 1 = Susceptible; 2 = Resistant)

<input type="checkbox"/>	Mexican Bean Beetle (<i>Epilachna varivestis</i>)
<input type="checkbox"/>	Potato Leaf Hopper (<i>Empoasca fabae</i>)
<input type="checkbox"/>	Other (Specify) _____

22. INDICATE WHICH VARIETY MOST CLOSELY RESEMBLES THAT SUBMITTED.

CHARACTER	NAME OF VARIETY	CHARACTER	NAME OF VARIETY
Plant Shape	Evans	Seed Coat Luster	McCall
Leaf Shape	Evans	Seed Size	Evans
Leaf Color	Evans	Seed Shape	Evans
Leaf Size	B070	Seedling Pigmentation	Hodgson

23. GIVE DATA FOR SUBMITTED AND SIMILAR STANDARD VARIETY: Paired Comparison Data

VARIETY	NO. OF DAYS MATURITY	PLANT LODGING SCORE	CM PLANT HEIGHT	LEAFLET SIZE		SEED CONTENT		SEED SIZE G/100 SEEDS	NO. SEEDS/POD
				CM Width	CM Length	% Protein	% Oil		
Submitted	119	2.8	79	4.0	10.3	44.6	20.2	16.2	2-3
Evans Name of Similar Variety	121	2.9	82	4.3	11.8	43.8	22.3	15.8	2-3

PUBLICATIONS USEFUL AS REFERENCE AIDS FOR COMPLETING THIS FORM:

1. Caldwell, B.E., ed. 1973. Soybeans: Improvement, Production, and Uses. Amer. Soc. Agron. Monograph No. 16.
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3. Hymowitz, T. 1973. Electrophoretic analysis of SBTI-A₂ in the USDA soybean germplasm collection. Crop Sci., 13: 420-421.
4. Payne, R.C. and L.F. Morris. 1976. Differentiation of soybean cultivars by seedling pigmentation patterns. J. Seed Technol. 1: 1-19.

EXHIBIT D

Additional Description of the Variety

Soybean variety S06-57 is in mid Maturity Group 0 maturing between Ozzie and Evans. It exhibits long hypocotyl reaction when grown in 4.5 inches of sand at 77° F for 14 days. It is moderately resistant to iron-deficiency chlorosis on calcareous soil.

EXHIBIT E

Statement of the Basis of Applicant's Ownership.

Soybean variety S06-57 was developed by the Northrup King Co. soybean breeding staff from germplasm sources cited in Exhibit A of this application. Northrup King Co. believes that the variety is novel as defined in the Plant Variety Protection Act and, therefore, that Northrup King is the sole owner of the variety.